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The Bill Press Show

October 14, 2007

Honorable Kevin J. Martin Chairman, FCC 455-12th. St., SW Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Martin:

As host of "The Bill Press Show," heard daily, 6-9 a.m., on Sirius Left, Channel 146, I am writing to strongly endorse the proposed merger of Sirius and XM Satellite Radio.

I support the merger because it will best serve the listening public by providing a strong, national platform for the great diversity of voices and opinions that are the fabric of America — especially progressive voices, which are seldom heard on terrestrial radio.

Satellite radio is everywhere. It offers a wide menu of listening options, from news to music to talk. And, as I can tell from calls to my own show, it is attracting a growing number of listeners from across the political spectrum. Combining the forces of Sirius and XM, I believe, will only make for better programming, expanded reach, lower prices, and ever more listeners.

I respectfully urge your timely approval of the Sirius and XM merger as in the best interest of radio listeners everywhere.

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